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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully submits that this Response to the Requirement for Restriction

Election mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 26, 2010. A

Petition requesting a 1-month extension of time to and including May 26, 2010 for responding to
the Office Action is annexed hereto. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

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